## **Amendments to the Claims:**

1-30. (canceled)

- 31. (currently amended) An isolated nucleic acid [[of]] encoding a polypeptide having at least 95% sequence identity to:
  - (a) the amino acid sequence of the polypeptide of SEQ ID NO:306;
- (b) the amino acid sequence of the polypeptide of SEQ ID NO:306, lacking its associated signal peptide;
  - (c) the nucleic acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:305;
- (d) the full-length coding sequence of the nucleic acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:305; or
- (e) the full-length coding sequence of the cDNA deposited under ATCC accession number 203312;

wherein the nucleic acid encoding said polypeptide is amplified in lung or colon tumors.

- 32. (previously presented) An isolated nucleic acid of Claim 31 encoding a polypeptide having at least 99% sequence identity to:
  - (a) the amino acid sequence of the polypeptide of SEQ ID NO:306;
- (b) the amino acid sequence of the polypeptide of SEQ ID NO:306, lacking its associated signal peptide;
  - (c) the nucleic acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:305;
- (d) the full-length coding sequence of the nucleic acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:305; or
- (e) the full-length coding sequence of the cDNA deposited under ATCC accession number 203312;

wherein the nucleic acid encoding said polypeptide is amplified in lung or colon tumors.

- 33. (previously presented) An isolated nucleic acid comprising:
- (a) the nucleic acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:305;

- (b) the full-length coding sequence of the nucleic acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:305; or
- (c) the full-length coding sequence of the cDNA deposited under ATCC accession number 203312.
- 34. (previously presented) The isolated nucleic acid of Claim 33 comprising a nucleic acid sequence encoding the polypeptide of SEQ ID NO:306.
- 35. (previously presented) The isolated nucleic acid of Claim 33 comprising a nucleic acid sequence encoding the polypeptide of SEQ ID NO:306, lacking its associated signal peptide.
  - 36. (canceled)
  - 37. (canceled)
- 38. (previously presented) The isolated nucleic acid of Claim 33 comprising the nucleic acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:305.
- 39. (previously presented) The isolated nucleic acid of Claim 33 comprising the full-length coding sequence of the nucleic acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:305.
- 40. (previously presented) The isolated nucleic acid of Claim 33 comprising the full-length coding sequence of the cDNA deposited under ATCC accession number 203312.
  - 41. (canceled)
  - 42. (canceled)
  - 43. (canceled)
  - 44. (previously presented) A vector comprising the nucleic acid of Claim 33.

- 45. (previously presented) The vector of Claim 44, wherein said nucleic acid is operably linked to control sequences recognized by a host cell transformed with the vector.
  - 46. (previously presented) An isolated host cell comprising the vector of Claim 44.
- 47. (previously presented) The host cell of Claim 46, wherein said cell is a CHO cell, an *E. coli* or a yeast cell.

48-54 (canceled)